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CHEROKEE/FOR THE SECRETARY

FOLLOWING REPEAT MOSCOW 6542 ACTION SECSTATE MAY 12.

QUOTE C O N F I D E N T I A L MOSCOW 6542

NODIS CHEROKEE

FOR THE SECRETARY FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP

SUBJECT: LETTER FROM SECRETARY BROWN

1. GENERAL WILSON, HEAD OF DIA, WHO NOW VISITING MOSCOW BROUGHT WITH HIM LETTER FROM SECRETARY BROWN TO SOVIET DEFENSE MINISTER USTINOV WHICH CONVEYS LETTER OF INVITATION FROM GENERAL GEORGE BROWN TO MARSHAL OGARKOV FOR THE LATTER TO VISIT US IN OCTOBER. I MUST ASSUME THIS INVITATION HAS YOUR APPROVAL AS WELL AS THAT OF THE PRESIDENT.

2. GIVEN OUR DIFFICULTY IN ESTABLISHING PERSONAL CONTACT WITH MINISTER

OF DEFENSE AND SOVIET MILITARY, I CONSIDER IT HIGHLY DESIRABLE FOR ME

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TO USE LETTERS AS PEG FOR APPOINTMENT WITH USTINOV AS WELL AS OGARKOV.

SINCE THERE IS INSUFFICIENT TIME FOR ME TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENT BEFORE MY DEPARTURE FROM MOSCOW, I PROPOSE TO DELIVER LETTERS FOLLOWING MY RETURN TO MOSCOW JUNE 11. THIS SHOULD LEAVE SUFFICIENT TIME TO ARRANGE VISIT IN OCTOBER.

ON OTHER HAND, IF IT IS FELT DESIRABLE TO DELIVER LETTERS BEFORE
MY RETURN TO MOSCOW IN JUNE, CHARGE AND DEFENSE ATTACHE COULD
DELIVER TO A DEPUTY MINISTER OF DEFENSE.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS MATTER.
TOON
UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER

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